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changes made."

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicant submits that claims 1-26 all the claims presently pending in the application, are patentably distinct over the prior art of record and are in condition for allowance. The Examiner is respectfully requested to pass the above application to issue at the earliest possible time.

Should the Examiner find the application to be other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the local telephone number listed below to discuss any other changes deemed necessary in a <u>telephonic or personal interview</u>.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees or to credit any overpayment in fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

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<u>VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE</u> IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1 and 8 as follows:

- (Twice Amended) A color-filterless full color liquid-crystal display device, comprising:
- a liquid-crystal shutter portion including [twisted nematic (TN) liquid crystal or super twisted nematic (STN)] a liquid crystal; and
- a backlight portion including light source units and a planar light guide,
 wherein said light source units comprise at least one red <u>light-emitting</u>
 device (LED), at least one green LED, and at least one blue LED,

wherein a first number corresponding to said at least one blue LED is not smaller than a second number corresponding to said at least one red LED, and the first number corresponding to said at least one blue LED is not smaller than a third number corresponding to said at least one green LED, and

wherein said light source units are disposed on an edge of said planar light guide.

- 8. (Twice Amended) A color-filterless full color liquid-crystal display device, comprising:
- a liquid-crystal shutter portion including [TN liquid crystal or STN] a liquid crystal; and
- a backlight portion including light source units and a planar light guide,
 wherein said light source units comprise at least one red LED, at least
 one green LED, and at least one blue LED,

wherein a first number corresponding to said at least one green LED is not larger than a second number corresponding to said at least one red LED and the first number corresponding to said at least one green LED is not larger than a third number corresponding to said at least one blue LED, and

wherein said light source units are disposed on an edge of said planar light guide.